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SUBJECT: LOS: GROUP OF 13 MEETING IN PARIS

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1. AS REQUESTED, WE ARE FORWARDING IN PARA FOUR PROPOSED

AGENDA FOR GROUP OF 13 MEETING. IF ACCEPTABLE TO FRENCH, WE RECOMMEND THEY CIRCULATE IT TO OTHER MEMBERS OF GROUP. ALSO WE SUGGEST THAT THREE DAYS MAY BE SUFFICIENT FOR MEETING AND RECOMMEND THAT IT BE SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 29 AND 30 AND MAY 1, WITH FIRST TWO DAYS FOR DISCUSSIONS AND LAST DAY FOR DRAFTING GROUP TO ATTEMPT TO DRAFT AGREED PRINCIPLES AS, IF POSSIBLE, AGREED ARTICLES. FYI: PROFESSOR MOORE MUST RETURN TO WASHINGTON ON MAY 2 FOR CONGRESSIONAL TESTIMONY SCHEDULED FOR MAY 3. FOR THIS REASON AND SINCE WE FEEL THREE DAYS WOULD BE SUFFICIENT, WE ARE MAKING ABOVE RECOMMENDATION. END FYI.

2. WE ARE PREPARING DISCUSSION PAPER ALONG LINES OF PROPOSED AGENDA FOR USE AT MEETING. IF ACCEPTABLE TO FRENCH WE WILL FORWARD IT TO THEM EARLY NEXT WEEK FOR CIRCULATION TO GROUP MEMBERS.

3. FOR INFO ADDRESSEES: WE WILL CONTINUE TO KEEP YOU INFORMED ON PLANS FOR MEETING BUT, SINCE FRENCH ARE HOSTS, WE WOULD PREFER THAT OTHER MEMBERS OF GROUP RECEIVE INFORMATION AND PLANS DIRECTLY FROM FRENCH GOVERNMENT.

4. PROPOSED AGENDA.

A. OPENING REMARKS AND GENERAL COMMENTS.

B. DISCUSSION OF INTERNATIONAL POLLUTION CONTROL STANDARDS FOR SEABED RESOURCE ACTIVITIES IN AREAS OF COASTAL STATE JURISDICTION.

C. DISCUSSION OF VESSEL POLLUTION CONTROL.

(1) GENERAL STANDARDS.

(2) STANDARDS FOR SPECIAL AREAS.

(3) ENFORCEMENT AND SAFEGUARDS.

D. CONSIDERATION OF NEW MEMBERS FOR COORDINATING

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E. FUTURE MEETINGS. RUSH

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